fairytale dk

PBN D 2457 41-56 cm 16-22 inches
age range 0-3yrs

Patons

PLAYSUIT AND HAT

To fit age, approx 0-6 mths	**6-12 mths**	1-2 yrs	**2-3 yrs**	
Playsuit To fit chest				
41	**46**	51	**56**	cm
16	**18**	20	**22**	in
Actual size at chest				
46	**52**	57	**63**	cm
18	**20½**	22½	**25**	in
Finished length, approx				
47	**55**	62	**70**	cm
18½	**21½**	24½	**27½**	in
Inside leg length, approx				
17	**22**	26	**30**	cm
6½	**8½**	10	**12**	in
Sleeve, measured down centre, approx				
13	**17**	21	**26**	cm
5	**6½**	8½	**10**	in
Patons Fairytale DK Playsuit and Hat				
1st Contrast (6350)				
1	**2**	2	**2**	50 gram balls
2nd Contrast (6302)				
2	**2**	3	**3**	50 gram balls
3rd Contrast (6349)				
1	**1**	1	**1**	50 gram ball
Patons Baby Pure Wool DK Playsuit and Hat				
1st Contrast				
2	**2**	2	**3**	50 gram balls
2nd Contrast				
2	**3**	4	**4**	50 gram balls
3rd Contrast				
1	**1**	2	**2**	50 gram balls

Quantities of yarn are approximate as they are based on average requirements.

Check actual yarn colour - as printing may not match yarn exactly.

Pair each Milward 3¼ mm (UK10/USA3) and 4 mm (UK8/USA6) needles. 12 [**12**, 13, **14**] buttons for Playsuit.

Tension

22 sts and 30 rows to 10 cm (stocking st) on 4 mm needles or size needed to achieve stated tension.

It is important to check your tension before starting your garment. If there are too many stitches to 10 cm, your tension is tight and you should change to a larger size needle. If there are too few, your tension is loose and you should change to a smaller size needle.

Caution

It is essential to work to the stated tension and we cannot accept responsibility for the finished product if any yarn other than the specified yarn is used.

Abbreviations

K=knit; **P**=purl; **st(s)**=stitch(es); **stocking st**=1 row K, 1 row P; **garter st**=every row K; **tog**=together; **inc**=increase by working into front and back of st; **dec**=decrease by working 2 sts together; **beg** = beginning; **alt**=alternate; **rep**=repeat; **cont**=continue; **meas**=measures; **foll**=following; **rem**=remain(ing); **RS**=right side; **WS**=wrong side; **cm**=centimetres; **in**=inches; **mm**=millimetres; **yfwd**=yarn forward; **sl**=slip; **M1**=make a stitch by picking up horizontal loop lying before next st and working into back of it; **1st C**=1st Contrast; **2nd C**=2nd Contrast; **3rd C**=3rd Contrast.

U.S.A. Glossary

Cast off=bind off; tension=gauge; knit up=pick up and knit; stocking st=stockinette st; yarn forward, yarn over needle or yarn round needle=yarn over.

Instructions are given for the first size, with larger size(s) given in square brackets []. Where only one figure is given this applies to both (all) sizes.

Before starting to knit, read the instructions carefully and circle all figures relating to your size with a coloured pencil.

PLAYSUIT BACK

Left Leg

With 3¼ mm needles and 1st C, cast on 20 [**22**, 24, **26**] sts and **noting that first row is WS**, work in garter st for 8 rows.

Increase row - K1 [**2**, 3, **1**), *M1 **(by picking up horizontal loop lying before next st and working into back of it**), K3 [**3**, 3, **4**]; rep from * to last 1 [**2**, 3, **1**] sts, M1, K1 [**2**, 3, **1**] (27 [**29**, 31, **33**] sts).

Change to 4 mm needles and working in stocking st and stripes of 4 rows in 2nd C and 2 rows in 3rd C throughout, shape sides by inc 1 st at each end of 5th and every foll 6th [**6th**, 6th, **8th**] row until there are 37 [**35**, 35, **49**] sts, then every foll 8th [**8th**, 8th, **10th**] row until there are 39 [**43**, 47, **51**] sts. Work 7 [**9**, 11, **11**] rows, thus ending with 2 [**4**, 4, **4**] rows in 2nd C and RS facing for next row. (Work 1 more row here for Right Leg).

Shape crotch

Keeping stripes correct, cast off 3 [**3**,

4, **4**] sts at beg of next row, then dec 1 st at end of next row and at same edge of foll row (34 [**38**, 41, **45**] sts). Work 1 row (omit this row for Right Leg). Break yarn and slip sts onto a spare needle.

Right Leg
Work as for Left Leg reversing shaping by working 1 row more before crotch shaping and 1 row less after crotch shaping. Leave sts on needle and do not break yarn at end.

Body
Row 1 - With 2nd C, K to last st of right leg, then with RS facing K tog first st of left leg and last st of right leg, then K across rem sts of left leg (67 [**75**, 81, **89**] sts).

Keeping stripes correct, work 27 [**27**, 31, **31**] rows. Dec 1 st at each end of next and every foll 6th row until 59 [**65**, 71, **77**] sts rem. Work 4 [**2**, 4, **4**] rows straight, thus ending with 3 rows in 2nd C.

Decrease row - With 2nd C, P4 [**3**, 3, **2**], *P2tog, P5 [**6**, 7, **8**]; rep from * to last 6 [**6**, 5, **5**] sts, P2tog, P4 [**4**, 3, **3**] (51 [**57**, 63, **69**] sts).**

Cont in 1st C only, work 6 [**8**, 8, **10**] rows. Tie a marker at each end of last row.

Cont straight for 10 [**11**, 12, **13**] cm from markers, ending with RS facing for next row.

Shape shoulders
Cast off 8 [**9**, 10, **11**] sts at beg of next 4 rows.

Leave rem 19 [**21**, 23, **25**] sts on a spare needle.

FRONT

Work as Back to ** but working Right Leg as for Left Leg, and Left Leg as for Right Leg.

Cont in 1st C only throughout and placing a marker at side edge of 6th [**8th**, 8th, **10th**] row as on Back, work 3 rows in stocking st, thus ending with WS facing for next row.

Divide for front opening
Next row - P23 [**26**, 29, **32**], turn and work on these sts first.

Next row - Cast on 5 sts, K these sts, then K to end (28 [**31**, 34, **37**] sts).

Next row - P to last 5 sts, K5.

Next row - K.

***Rep the last 2 rows until 10 [**12**, 12, **14**] rows less than on Back have been worked before start of shoulder shaping, thus ending with RS facing for next row.

Shape neck
Next row - Work 8 [**8**, 9, **9**] sts, leave these sts on a spare needle, work to end.

Dec 1 st at neck edge on next 3 rows, then on foll 1 [**2**, 2, **3**] alt rows (16 [**18**, 20, **22**] sts). Work 5 rows straight, thus ending at side edge.

Shape shoulder
Cast off 8 [**9**, 10, **11**] sts at beg of next row. Work 1 row. Cast off rem 8 [**9**, 10, **11**] sts.***

Mark positions of 2 buttons on garter st border with pins to ensure even spacing, first to come 2 cm above cast-on sts and allowing for a 3rd button to be placed 1 cm above sts on spare needle. Space rem button halfway between.

With WS facing rejoin yarn to rem 28 [**31**, 34, **37**] sts, K5, then P to end.

Next row - K.

Next row - K5, P to end.

Complete to match first side from *** to ***, reversing shapings, working 1 row less before start of neck shaping and with the addition of 2 buttonholes to correspond with pins on button border.

To make a buttonhole: (RS), K to last 4 sts, K2tog, yfwd, K2.

SLEEVES

With 3¼ mm needles and 1st C, cast on 33 [**33**, 35, **37**] sts and **noting that first row is WS**, work in garter st for 9 rows.

Change to 4 mm needles and working in stocking st and stripes of 4 rows in 2nd C and 2 rows in 3rd C throughout, shape sides by inc 1 st at each end of 3rd, then every foll 4th [**4th**, 4th, **6th**] row until there are 41 [**41**, 39, **51**] sts, then every foll 6th [**6th**, 6th, **8th**] row until there are 45 [**49**, 53, **57**] sts. Work straight for 5 [**5**, 7, **7**] rows, thus ending with RS facing. Cast off with 2nd C.

MAKE UP

Press lightly under a **dry** cloth using a cool iron.

Join shoulder seams.

Neck Border
With RS facing sl 8 [**8**, 9, **9**] sts on spare needle at right front neck onto a 4 mm needle, then rejoin 1st C and **knit up** 12 [**14**, 14, **16**] sts evenly up right side of neck, K19 [**21**, 23, **25**] from back, **knit up** 12 [**14**, 14, **16**] sts evenly down left side of neck, then K across 8 [**8**, 9, **9**] sts on spare needle at left front neck (59 [**65**, 69, **75**] sts).

Work 6 rows in garter st, making a buttonhole as before on 4th of these rows. Cast off loosely knitways.

Join together cast-off sts at start of crotch shaping on back and on front.

Back Inside Leg Border
With RS facing, 3¼ mm needles and 1st C, **knit up** 79 [**103**, 124, **147**] sts evenly around inside leg edge. Work 6 rows in garter st. Cast off loosely knitways.

Front Inside Leg Border
Work as for Back Inside Leg Border **at the same time** making buttonholes on 4th row thus:- K3, yfwd, K2tog, (K7 [**10**, 11, **12**], yfwd, K2tog) 8 [**8**, 9, **10**] times, K2.

Place centre of cast off-edge of sleeves to shoulder seams, then sew Sleeves to Back and Front between markers. Join side and sleeve seams. Sew cast-on sts of button border behind buttonhole border. Sew on buttons securely.

HAT

With 3¼ mm needles and 1st C, cast

on 79 [**85**, 91, **97**] sts and **noting that first row is WS**, work 9 rows in garter st.

Change to 4 mm needles and working in stocking st and stripes of 4 rows in 2nd C and 2 rows in 3rd C throughout, work straight until Hat meas 10 [**11**, 12, **13**] cm, ending with RS facing for next row. Keeping stripes correct, cont as follows:-

Shape crown
Row 1 - K1, *K3tog, K10 [**11**, 12, **13**]; rep from * to end (67 [**73**, 79, **85**] sts).

P 1 row.

Row 3 - K1, *K3tog, K8 [**9**, 10, **11**]; rep from * to end (55 [**61**, 67, **73**] sts).

P 1 row.

Row 5 - K1, *K3tog, K6 [**7**, 8, **9**]; rep from * to end. (43 [**49**, 55, **61**] sts).

Cont to dec 12 sts in this way on every alt row until 19 [**13**, 19, **13**] sts rem.

P 1 row.

41 and 51 cm sizes
Next row - K1, *K2tog; rep from * to end.

P 1 row.

All sizes
Break yarn, thread through rem 10 [**13**, 10, **13**] sts, draw up firmly and fasten off.

MAKE UP

Press lightly under a **dry** cloth using a cool iron.

Join back seam.

With 3 strands of 1st C make a twisted cord 7 cm long. With 1st C make a tassel as follows:- Cut 12 strands of yarn 12 cm long. Fold strands in half and wrap a length of yarn around, 2 cm down from fold. Tie securely and fasten off.

Thread twisted cord through folded end of tassel and sew firmly to top of crown as illustrated.

Wash your garment using a mild detergent.

Do not dry handknits in harsh sunlight as fading or yellowing may occur.

Fairytale DK - You may tumble dry your garment with confidence in any domestic tumble dryer at temperatures of up to 60°C. Dry flat if garment is not tumble dried.

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